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Date: April 14, 2004

By Sharon Nance

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND
TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Terje A. Skotheim, et al. Docket No.: 57519.00057
(MT0026.3)
Application No.: 09/864,890 Group Art Unit: 1746
Filing Date: May 23, 2001 Examiner: Wills, Monique M.
TITLE LITHIUM ANODES FOR ELECTROCHEMICAL CELLS

TRANSMITTAL OF RESPONSE
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Commissioner:

Herewith is a response in the above-identified application to the Office Action mailed on October 14, 2003. Applicants hereby petition, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136, that the shortened statutory response period be extended for **three (3) months until April 14, 2004**. The fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17 is enclosed.

[X] Applicant asserts small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27.

Enclosure:

[X] Copy of Notification Of Change Of Status And Assertion Of Entitlement To Small Entity Status Pursuant To 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(C)

FEE CALCULATION, CLAIMS AS AMENDED:

	Claims remaining after amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present Extra				Addition al Fee
Total Effective Claims	20	minus	20	=	0	x	\$ 18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims	4	minus	3	=	1	x	\$ 86.00		\$86.00
							Subtotal		\$86.00

Fee Calculation: Request for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

<input type="checkbox"/>	Response filed within first month after due date – add	\$110.00	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Response filed within second month after due date – add	\$420.00	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Response filed within third month after due date – add	\$950.00	\$950.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Response filed within fourth month after due date – add	\$1480.00	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Response filed within fifth month after due date – add	\$2010.00	

Subtotal: \$1,036.00

If one of the “small entity” boxes above is checked, enter half (1/2)
of the second subtotal and subtract.

\$518.00

TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE ENCLOSED: \$518.00

☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-3878 in the amount of \$ 518.00.
A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

☐ A Squire, Sanders & Dempsey L.L.P. check in the amount of \$_____ is attached.

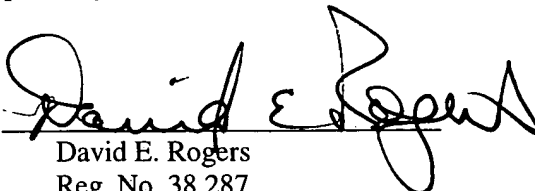
This statement does NOT authorize charge of the issue fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee specifically authorized hereafter, or any deficiency in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith or concerning any paper filed hereafter, and which may be required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.18 (deficiency only) now or hereafter relative to this Application and the resulting Official document under 37 C.F.R. §1.20, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 19-3878 for which purpose a duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

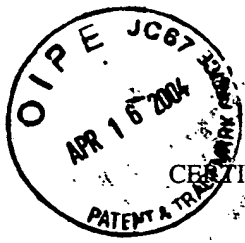
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NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE OF STATUS AND
ASSERTION OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(c)

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Commissioner:

Applicant hereby asserts that it qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 C.F.R. §§121.3-18, and reproduced in 37 C.F.R. §1.9(d), for purposes of paying reduced fees under Section 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code and is entitled to Small Entity Status pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(c).

Please feel free to contact the undersigned with any questions you may have regarding this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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